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## ITALY.

*Reports from Naples—Inspection of vessels—Emigrants recommended for rejection—Quarantine at Piraeus against Constantinople on account of cholera—Quarantine at Naples against arrivals from Levantine ports.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon McLaughlin reports, February 3 and 6:

*Vessels inspected at Naples week ended February 1.*

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of large baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Jan. 29	Germania .....	New York .....	118	20	150
29	Europa .....	do .....	362	80	480
29	Cedric .....	do .....	278	50	320
29	Hamburg .....	do .....	263	70	380
31	Caronia .....	do .....			
	Total .....		1,021	220	1,330

*Rejections recommended.*

Date.	Name of ship.	Trachoma.	Favus.	Suspected trachoma.	Suspected favus.	Other causes.	Total.
Jan. 29	Germania .....	2		1		1	4
29	Europa .....	9	2	8	1	1	21
29	Cedric .....	10		3		3	16
29	Hamburg .....	5	1	8		7	21
31	Caronia .....						
	Total .....	26	3	20	1	12	62

February 6. Information has been received from the American consular agent at Piraeus, Greece, that four days' quarantine and disinfection have been imposed at that port on arrivals from Constantinople, Turkey, owing to the outbreak of cholera at that place.

The precautions taken at Naples against passengers arriving from Levantine ports, and intending to embark for the United States, are continued. Such persons are held for 5 days under my observation before they are allowed to embark.

## JAPAN.

*Report from Yokohama—Inspection of vessels—Spread of small-pox—Precautions taken on vessels on account of small-pox.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Cumming reports, January 29:

Bills of health were issued during the week ended January 25 to 4 vessels having an aggregate personnel of 405 members of crews and 51 saloon and 458 steerage passengers. All steerage passengers embarking here were bathed, vaccinated under direct supervision of a medical officer, and their effects disinfected. The same treatment was given to the members of the crews embarking here.